



Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Department of Conservation and Recreation
251 Causeway Street
Boston, MA 02114

The Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) has submitted an Environmental Notification Form (ENF) to the Massachusetts Environmental Policy Act (MEPA) Unit of the Executive Office of Environmental Affairs on the Storrow Drive Tunnel Project.

The MEPA Unit has scheduled public Scoping Sessions on the project (see below). Two meeting times are being offered for the convenience of the public; the content of the presentation will be the same in both meetings. DCR will be voluntarily preparing an Environmental Impact Report (EIR), so commenters will be able to focus on the project options and the issues to be discussed in the EIR, rather than the need for an EIR.

In addition, please note that MEPA has agreed to DCR's request for an extended comment period of 48 days, which will end on **June 13, 2006**. Written comments should refer to the Storrow Drive Tunnel Project and should be sent to EOEa at the following address: **Secretary Stephen R. Pritchard, Executive Office of Environmental Affairs, Attn.: MEPA Office, Deirdre Buckley, EOEa #13777, 100 Cambridge Street, Suite 900, Boston MA 02114**. Please include a return address so you can be included in future correspondence.

Thursday, May 11, 2006

2:00 PM

**Shriner's Hospital for Children,
Auditorium**

51 Blossom Street, Boston

Thursday, May 11, 2006

6:30 PM

**Gardner Auditorium
State House, Boston**

For directions or more information, contact Nancy Farrell or Regan Checchio at (617) 357-5772.